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Practitioner's Docket No. DN 96-006 D1

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: DRUMMOND

Application No.: 09/826,062

Group No.: 1731

Filed: 04/04/2001

Examiner: Peter Chin

For: THE USE OF CALCIUM CARBONATE IN AN ACIDIC AQUEOUS MEDIA

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**MAIL STOP PETITION**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

**PETITION TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION UNINTENTIONALLY ABANDONED  
AT NO FAULT OF THE APPLICANT**

Applicant would like to petition to the Commissioner for Patents to revive US Application Number 09/826,062, which was unintentionally abandoned by no fault of the Applicant. The following are the chronological occurrences that took place surrounding this application.

In addition, all documents referred to below are attached with this Petition for your review.

1. An Office Action (Paper Number 9) dated February 28, 2003 was sent to Applicant.
2. Applicant filed a response to this Office Action on July 21, 2003 along with a Petition and Fee for Extension of Time. This response was sent via Facsimile to number (703) 305-7718.
3. A Notice Of Abandonment dated October 3, 2003 was sent to Applicant for failure to timely file a proper reply to the Office Action dated February 28, 2003.
4. Applicant was not expecting to receive a Notice of Abandonment, so Michael J. Herman (Agent of Record) called Peter Chin (Examiner) on October 8, 2003. As a result of this conversation, Examiner Chin asked Mr. Herman to re-fax the response. The Response to the Office Action dated February 28, 2003 was re-faxed on October 8, 2003 to facsimile number (703) 305-7718.

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